



October 15, 2019

Sylvia Vanderspek, Branch Chief
Air Quality Planning Branch
Air Quality Planning and Science Division
California Air Resources Board
P.O. Box 2815
Sacramento, CA 95812

RE: Exceptional Event Demonstrations for 2018 – January 20; February 11; February 19.

Dear Ms Vanderspek

In a letter dated October 1, 2019, the Air District respectfully requested that you forward copies of the final Exceptional Event (EE) documents, listed above, to the US EPA, Region IX office showing that a natural event occurred which caused an exceedance of the PM₁₀ NAAQS on the indicated days above. A subsequent condition requires that the Air District provide a formal letter indicating that the comment period has ended and whether or not the Air District received comments.

Public Comment Process

The Air District published, in the local newspaper of greatest circulation, a "Notice of Availability of the demonstration of the occurrence of an Exceptional Event" on September 9, 2019. The notice solicited public comment regarding the request by the Air District to exclude PM₁₀ monitored data affected by a natural event during the days identified in the subject line. The comment period ended, October 9, 2019, 30 days after publication.

The review period has ended and the Air District did not receive any comments regarding the request by the Air District to excluded 24-hour measured concentrations on the identified dates above. As always, should you have any questions or require any further information, please contact the undersigned at (442) 265-1800

Sincerely,

Matt Dessert
Air Pollution Control Officer

CC: Gwen Yoshimura, US EPA (electronic only)